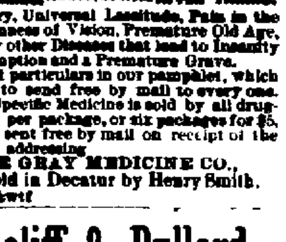
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... $1 per doz., Ladies' $5, ... Female Pills $1 per box, 6 for $5.
... After forty years' practice I am ... satisfied nine-tenths of the troubles ... has grown out of a latent sexual ... of ladies and gentlemen. Thousands ... the real cause, have made life a weary ... want of proper means to make it bright ... ERVINE PILLS, compounded of roots ... made the weak and debilitated strong. ... have lost, or never had, will come to ... Life is too short to waste away in ... when a $1 box will please you and ... for five dollars. Sent by mail, sealed, ... ence. Leucorrhea or whites positively ... warm for Electric Rings Write ...

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—IN—
SUMMER GOODS.



J. R. RACE & CO.

Have reduced the price of

SUMMER COATS

To 25 cts. to $1.00 each.

Summer White and Colored Marseilles Vests

50 cts. to $1.00.

SUMMER PANTS

50, 75 and $1.00. A good line of

WORKING SHIRTS.

The best in the United States.

STRAW HATS

Are selling at 5 to 10 cents each, and a fine assortment to select from.

Call Early to secure Bargains, as the stock will disappear rapidly.

SPECIAL BARGAINS

Are also offered in

FLANNEL SUITS, LIGHT WEIGHT CASSIMERES,

And all kinds of Summer Goods.

PANTS MADE TO ORDER FOR $5.00.

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July 16, 1881—d&wtf

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Are not of Special Benefit to Any Community.

Honorable Competition the Life of Trade.

We will continue to sell at New York cost Summer Dress Goods, Medium and Light Colored Prints, Lawns, Ginghams, Buntings, Millinery, Fancy Goods, Hosiery, Gloves, Notions, &c., &c.

Will also Continue Our Cheap Sale of RIBBONS.

We are now receiving New Goods for the early autumn trade—Dress Goods, Flannels, Yarns, Jeans, Hosiery, Fancy Goods, Notions, &c; also choice Millinery for present sales. Stock in complete order.

We will continue to give better value than any other House.

Examination solicited.

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Aug. 10, 1881—d&wtf

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Oct. 26 1880—d&tf

MRS. M. L. CAIN will receive pupils in

Dramatic Reading, Oratory and Voice Culture.

Communicate by mail or call personally on Mrs. Cain between 3 and 5 o'clock P. M., No. 6 South Water street. Terms and circulars upon application. Special attention given to Bible and Shakespearian Readings.

Aug. 8, 1881—d2mo*

M. WOODBURN JENKS,

SOLICITOR OF PATENTS,

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN.

Will conduct all proceedings in interference or infringement, or any other business connected with patents.

☞ Office over Dr. Stoner's drug store, south side City Park, Decatur, Illinois.

July 30, 1881—d&wtf

$5 to $20 per day at home. Samples worth $5 free. Address STINSON & Co., Portland, Maine. (feb8d&wly

Notice of Application for Pardon.

Notice is hereby given that an application will, on the 15th day of September, 1881, be made to Shelby M. Cullom, Governor of the State of Illinois, for the pardon of Tobias Koelmel, who was convicted at the May term, 1881, of the Macon county circuit court, for selling liquor without license, and who is now and has been confined in the county jail of said Macon county since June 14th, 1881.

TOBIAS KOELMEL.
By D. Hutchison, his Attorney.

Aug. 20—d3w

BAYARD TAYLOR, *Poet & Traveler,* Said: "I take great pleasure in recommending to parents the Academy of Mr. S. C. Shortlidge.

Hon. FERNANDO WOOD, M. C.

Said (1880): I cheerfully consent to the use of my name as reference. My boys will return to you (for their fourth year) after their vacation.

For new Illustrated Circular address SWITHIN C. SHORTLIDGE, A. M., Harvard University Graduate, Media, Pa., 12 miles from Phila.

Aug 20-d&w2m.

WANTED!

For the St. Louis Coffin Co.,

Coffin-Makers, Finishers and Packers,

To work in St. Louis. Only first-class workmen need apply, by addressing

ST. LOUIS COFFIN CO.,
St. Louis, Mo.

Aug. 20-d1w*

REDUCE your shoe bills by buying of Barber & Baker. d&wtf

STOP THAT NASTY FIGHTING.

An Old Maid's Letter to General Grant at Spottsylvania.

A correspondent of the Philadelphia Times, who visited the battlefield at Spottsylvania Court House, writes: "The Deputy Sheriff, innkeeper, and leading citizen of the settlement, Mr. Ashby, who is a kinsman of the brilliant cavalryman of that name, kindly offered to show me what was to be seen, and after breakfast he started for what he called the "Horseshoe," or, as it is more generally known, "the Bloody Angle." Driving northward on the Brock road for less than a half-mile we wheel abruptly into a by-way to the right and began to pass through a thicket of small pines. These evergreens, which have grown on the margin of the McCool farm since the battle, threaten to choke the narrow road. What we were going through was more like a bridle path than a place for wheels, but, heedless of the ends of limbs that whipped him in the eyes and brushed against the sides of the buggy, our horse dashed along, fetching us finally to a fallow field, where stands the McCool house. This place is one of grim fame and lasting history for in the woods hereabouts death's maw was gorged in the longest, fiercest, ghastilest hand to hand combat known to man. Tall oaks surround the house, which is a weather-beaten, rickety structure, that clearly has been through the mills. At the time of the battle the dwelling was occupied by Farmer McCool, bachelor, with his two maiden sisters. When it grew hot and deafening all around, the family went into the cellar, and there Miss Millie, sitting by the side of her sick sister, wrote the following note:

GRANT, GENERAL, SIR: I desire that you stop that nasty fighting. There is a sick woman in the house. MILDRED McCOOL.

A trembling courier in the person of a black boy, succeeded in delivering the note within the Union lines, but oddly enough the battle was allowed to continue.

"And would you believe it!" Miss Millie was wont to exclaim in chats with her neighbors many a year thereafter, "and would you really believe it! the Yankee General wasn't gentleman enough to grant a lady's request!"

"Shame! shame!" would come in chorus, and Miss Millie's ancient rocking chair would stand still from the very amazement of the good woman between its arms. And to this day Grant is held up by Miss Millie's friends as a person who is no gentleman. One morning two days afterward, it was so quiet that the occupants of the cellar concluded that the storm had swept over and Farmer McCool cautiously thrust his head up from below. A Union soldier who saw the head grabbed it and the old man ducked down, leaving his wig in possession of the laughing sharp-shooters.

The Cantelope Question.

Philadelphia Bulletin.

The consumer of cantelopes has observed that only about one melon in five is of first-rate quality. That one will have a high, rich, musky flavor most delicious to the palate. The others will vary in flavor. One will taste like raw pumpkin, another like unboiled sweet potato, and another, perhaps, like a hickory chip. What we want to know is, if it is not possible for some careful and ingenious horticulturist to produce entire crops of melons which have the tempting flavor? Is there no method of extirpating the melon with the taste of chips and the melon that is akin to pumpkin, and making the good melon universal?

A WONDERFUL DISCOVERY.

For the speedy cure of Consumption and all diseases that lead to it, such as stubborn Coughs, neglected Colds, Bronchitis, Hay Fever, Asthma, pain in the side and chest, dry hacking cough, tickling in the throat, hoarseness, sore throat, and all chronic or lingering diseases of the throat and lungs, DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY has no equal and has established for itself a world-wide reputation. Many leading physicians recommend and use it in their practice. The formula from which it is prepared is highly recommended by all medical journals. The clergy and the press have complimented it in the most glowing terms. Go to your druggist and get a trial bottle free of cost, or a regular size for $1.00. For sale by Hubbard & Swearingen, Decatur, Ill.

MR. JACOB WILSON, Marion, O., says her child was not expected to live, owing to a severe attack of croup; she tried Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, which gave immediate relief.

Mr. C. Clendennen, Marion, O., used Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil for bunions; he says at first start he thought it was like the rest of the advertised humbugs, but was agreeably disappointed, and now would not be without some in the house for any money.

For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner 9

THE best Carpet Sweepers that are made—and what every housekeeper should have—for sale at Linn & Scruggs.

June 8 d&wtf

LUCK!

Is all right in its place, but it requires something else to carry on the

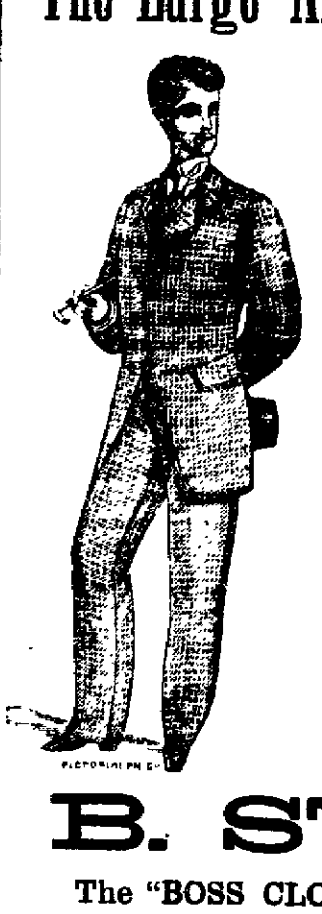
☞ CLOTHING BUSINESS!

In these times of

Big Competition!

It requires CARE, JUDGMENT, COURAGE, LIBERALITY and UPRIGHT DEALING; you must do as you would be done by, &c., &c.

The Large Army of Customers



who have been, and are to-day, patronizing

B. STINE

The "Boss Clothier,"

DECATUR, ILL.,

Know why they do it, and are willing to tell their friends.

We are in daily receipt of

ENTIRE NEW STOCK

—OF—

FALL CLOTHING!

Come and see them.

B. STINE,

The "BOSS CLOTHIER," Decatur, Ill..

Aug 23, 1881 -d&wtf

MR. PATTERSON MEANT WHAT HE SAID.

The following tribute to a well known and meritorious preparation will be read with pleasure by all who are suffering from pulmonary complaints themselves, or have friends so afflicted:

I hereby certify that my boy, ten years of age, was taken sick with typhoid fever, followed by congestion of the lungs. Dr. Dyer, an eminent physician of this place, stated that he thought the boy would run down with QUICK CONSUMPTION. A Mr. Patterson told me that COE'S COUGH BALSAM was curing similar cases, and advised me to purchase it. When I carried it home, my wife laughed at me; but I knew that Mr. Patterson MEANT JUST WHAT HE SAID, and I determined to try it. Two bottles effectually cured him, so that now he is as tough and healthy as anybody. LYMAN DORMAN.

Huntington, Conn., Aug. 29, 1866. 3

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 18, 1879.

My children were all seriously troubled with Whooping Coup. We treated them with regularly prescribed medicines, with Homeopathic Specifics, etc., with but little or no relief until we gave them Coe's Cough Balsam, which immediately assisted nature to restore them to good health. I truly believe it the best medicine in the world for Whooping Cough.

J. H. POST, Ag't Charter Oak Life Ins. Co.
For sale by Irwin & Priest.

HE SUFFERED FOR 35 YEARS

Guilford, Conn., May 15, 1869.

For thirty-five years I have been the victim of that terrible disease, dyspepsia; have consulted eminent physicians, and tried almost every remedy. My family physician finally told me I could not be cured. THE FIRST DOSE OF COE'S DYSPEPSIA CURE helped me, and, to-day, I consider myself cured, and am ready to affirm that it is the most valuable medicine ever placed before the public.

4 G. H. RICHARDSON.

Paducah, Ky., May 10, 1867.

During a confinement of eleven months in Libby Prison, I was attacked with Dyspepsia in its worst form. For two years I have suffered with it. I tried doctors a great many times without relief. This spring I became so debilitated as to be unable to walk one square. After taking two doses of COE'S DYSPEPSIA CURE I ate of everything on the table, felt no distress afterward and have an excellent appetite. F. T. GILLILAND,

3 Late Lieut. U. S. A.

Detroit, June 3, 1868.

I would like to add one more testimonial to your list. I have been a victim of dyspepsia for the past five years; have tried a great many medicines, and find relief only in COE'S DYSPEPSIA CURE. 3

For sale by Irwin & Priest.

WOOD! WOOD!!—Best of dry cord wood for sale at lowest market rates. Orders left at Peter Ullrich's grocery store or by telephone will receive prompt attention. J. H. VENNIGERHOLZ.

Aug. 15 d2m

QUERY.

What is the difference between an invalid and one caught in a lie? One lies in a cot, and the other's caught (cot) in a lie. Invalids need not take to their bed whilst using Spring Blossom in case of indigestion, biliousness or sick headache, but attend to their business whilst getting cured. Prices, $1; 50 cts; trial bottles 10c. 9

DECATUR COAL.

Ed. Martin wishes to let the citizens of Decatur know that he will handle Decatur coal *and no other soft coal*, as soon as mining operations are commenced, and will be prepared to fill all contracts for your winter coal. [aug9-dtf

GET a beautiful gold fish pet at Dr. Stoner's drug store for 40 cents—all sizes. 7dtf

PILES! PILES! PILES!

A Sure Cure Found at Last. No One Need Suffer.

A sure cure for the Blind, Bleeding, Itching and Ulcerated Piles has been discovered by Dr. Williams (an Indian remedy), called Doctor Williams' Indian Ointment. A single box has cured the worst chronic cases of 25 and thirty years' standing. No one need suffer five minutes after applying this wonderful soothing medicine. Lotions, Instruments and Electuaries do more harm than good. Williams' Ointment absorbs the tumors, allays the intense itching (particularly at night after getting warm in bed), acts as a poultice, gives instant and painless relief, and is prepared only for Piles, itching of the private parts, and nothing else.

Read what the Hon. J. M. Coffinberry, of Cleveland, says about Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment, "I have used scores of pile cures, and it affords me pleasure to say that I have never found anything which gave such immediate and permanent relief as Dr. Williams' Pile Ointment.

For sale by all druggists, or mailed on receipt of price, $1.00.

HENRY & DAVIES, Proprietors,
Jan. 27—d&weowly CLEVELAND, O.

EVERY Shoe that J. W. Baker sells is warranted. Try him when you want Shoes. aug19 d&wtf

SELECT a nice pants pattern at Fleury's low price and perfect fit guaranteed. 11d&wtf

LOST.

On Sunday, August 7, 1881, at the residence of C. Bryan, on South Broadway, a small black and tan pup, with a small white spot on the breast. Any information or return of the same at "Cheap Charley's" store will be suitably rewarded

Aug. 13—dtf

REMEMBER our Bargain Table contains goods at very *low prices.*

1-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

MOSQUITO Canopies, frames and nets, at LINN & SCRUGGS.

8-d&wtf

FURNISHING goods, hats and caps a specialty at Fleury's, the French Cutter, corner of old square. 11d&wtf

ALWAYS examine J. W. Baker's stock of Boots and Shoes before you buy.

aug 19 d&wtf.

BORTREE'S Duplex Corset Skirt Supporters, $1, at Linn & Scruggs

June 18 d

JUST RECEIVED.

At Mrs. A. T. Grist's, New Spring Styles in Hats and Bonnets, over F. L. Hays & Co.'s

March 13—dtf

SPECIAL attention is invited to our New Goods, and also to our "Bargain Table," which has very low-priced attractions every day. LINN & SCRUGGS

March 3-d&wtf

EVERY kind of second hand furniture taken in exchange for new at Bachman's store, south side city park 15dtf

"CHEAP CHARLEY'S" CORNER.



ON THE TOP

—OF THE—

CLOTHING TRADE

In Central Illinois,—and we may say in the West,—stands

Cheap Charley,

—WITH HIS—

Fine Array of Custom-Made Clothing.

WE SELECT OUR OWN STYLES!
WE CONTROL OUR OWN STYLES!
WE CUT OUR OWN PATTERNS!
WE MAKE FITTING SIZES!
WE GUARANTEE OUR OWN GOODS!
WE GIVE SATISFACTION IN EVERY INSTANCE!

We return the money cheerfully if goods prove not satisfactory when taken home and returned to us not soiled.

We save our customers the middleman's profit, as we are first hand.

THE LARGEST STOCK,
THE BEST ASSORTMENT,
THE LOWEST PRICE,

And last, but not least, ONE-PRICE TO ALL.

KAUFMAN & BACHRACH, Manufacturers of Clothing.

Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishing Goods, Trunks and Valises, at Jobber's Prices. CHEAP CHARLEY.



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But GET RIGHT UP AND GIT that makes men great.

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Clothing!

Dealers in

Goods for Men's Wear.

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DECATUR.

Factory—Chicago, Illinois.
March 10—d&wtf

The French Cutter!

Graduate and Member of the New York Cutter's Association

JAS. VEALE,

Merchant Tailor,

The Only New York Cutter in the City, brought here in 1870, by Linn & Scruggs.

I have now got

My Fall Stock

and from over 15 years practice in cutting and large experience in goods, can say I have bought the

BEST SELECTED STOCK

EVER BROUGHT TO DECATUR,

and am prepared to make them up in the Latest Styles and on the most reasonable terms.

PERFECT FITS GUARANTEED.

JAMES VEALE,

French Cutter from Cork,

Prairie St., 1 Door West of Water

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Aug 19, 1881—d6mos

$66 a week in your own town. Terms and $5 outfit free. Address H. HALLETT & Co., Portland, Maine. Feb3-d&wly

In Trouble.

Wingate, the Lamp store man, says the St. Louis Summer Cooking Stove Factory cannot make stoves as fast as he can sell them, their excellence and cheapness is what's the matter. Everybody that sees them in operation want one right off [June 3-dtf

GO TO Dr. A. J. Stoner, south side City Park, for Mrs. Freeman's New National Dyes. For brightness and durability of color they are unequaled.—Color 2 to 5 lbs., price 15 cents.

Feb. 28—dtf

SUMMER suits put up to order in the latest styles at reduced prices by Fleury, the French Cutter, corner of old square. 11d&wtf

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County,

In the Circuit Court of Macon county—To the December Term, A. D. 1881.

David Stichler vs. Mary E. Stichler—Divorce.

AFFIDAVIT having been filed in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, that the residence and post-office address of the said Mary E. Stichler is unknown, and by diligent inquiry cannot be ascertained, public notice is hereby given that the above-named David Stichler, as complainant, heretofore filed his bill of complaint in the circuit court of Macon county on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued against the said Mary E. Stichler, which has been returned by the sheriff of said county not found, and that said suit is now pending and undetermined in said court.

Now, unless you, the said Mary E. Stichler, shall personally be and appear before the circuit court of Macon county at a term thereof to be holden in the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday in December, A. D. 1881, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein contained will be taken as confessed against you, and a decree rendered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

Dated August 1, 1881.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
W. C. JOHNS, Solicitor for Complainant.
Aug. 1—d4w

Special Commissioner's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County,

Macon County Circuit Court—No. 11,[illegible].

Richard J. Oram vs. Margaret C. Thomas and Clay E. Oram—Partition.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the May term, A. D. 1881, I, E. McClellan, Special Commissioner, on Thursday, the fifteenth day of September, A. D. 1881, at the hour of two o'clock P. M. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the west outside entrance to the circuit court room, in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lot No. twenty-eight (28), in block one (1), in [illegible] Company's Addition to the town, now city, of Decatur, Illinois.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-half cash in hand, the remainder in one year from date of sale; the deferred payment to bear interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum and secured by a mortgage on the premises sold. Said sale will be absolute, and a deed made to purchaser on approval of sale by court.

E. McCLELLAN,
Special Commissioner.
JOHN A. BROWN, Solicitor for Petitioner.
Decatur, Ill., August 19, 1881—d4w

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of THOMAS KILHAM, Deceased.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Thomas Kilham, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon county, to be holden at the court house, in the city of Decatur, on the first Monday in September, A. D. 1881, being the 5th day of said term.

Decatur, Ill., July 25, A. D. 1881.
GEORGE WERE, Administrator.
July 25—w3w

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FRIDAY EVENING, AUGUST 26, 1881.

TO-DAY'S NEWS

The doctors have at last "officially" stated the President's condition to critical—just what the whole country knew days ago. The noon bulletin gives but little ground for even the faintest hope, the pulse and temperature being reported as higher than they have been for several days, and the discharge of pus through the "internal auditory meatus" furnishing a new complication in the case. The doctors may well say that the case is critical.

THE "internal auditory meatus" is the medical term for the middle ear, as we are informed by a professional gentlemen. Why could not the President's physicians have used plain English, in sending out news for the common people to read?

THE editor of the Quincy *Herald* is just now attracting a good deal of attention by his attempt to ape the style of Brick Pomeroy and the Okolona *States*, in the manner in which he rejoices over the assassination of the President. He carries the animosities of the late presidential campaign into the death-chamber of the stricken executive, and with all the besotted characteristics of a nature steeped in the dirtiest depths of the vilest political slums he chalks "329" on the mantel, and yells "fraud" as he did all through the summer of 1880. The *Herald* is a Democratic paper, and its editor has has had the reputation of being one of the most efficient men of his profession on the Democratic side in Illinois. The Democratic press in general has treated the President with every consideration, since the attempt on his life, and the political associates of the *Herald* man profess to be much chagrined over his vile utterances. Our neighbor of the *Review* alludes to him as "the d—dest fool in Illinois," while Bro. Oberly, of the Bloomington *Bulletin*, speaks of his style as "sensational Democracy." It speaks well for these Democratic editors that they even thus mildly put the seal of their condemnation upon the devilish outgivings of their political confrere, but has it ever occurred to them that the *Herald* scribbler is only repeating now what every Democratic paper in the land was shouting with every breath a year ago? The Quincy editor cannot find it in his heart to mourn over the prospective death of the man whom his party denounced so bitterly a year ago, and vile as is his manner of expression it is but little worse than those which filled the Democratic papers and were belched forth from the lips of Democratic orators in 1880. A party whose chief weapons of warfare consisted of chalk marks on the sidewalks and carloads of forged letters, whose battle cry was "329," and whose whole campaign was one of slander and filth, ought not to wonder when its fruits ripen in the shape of such literature as the Quincy man perpetrates. It is only the carrying out of the divine law, that every seed shall produce its kind.

An Old Connecticut Law.

New York Sun.

A case which has come up in the probate court in Enfield, Conn., brings out some facts concerning the law governing the rights of aliens to hold real estate, and shows that the law must have grown out of the feeling existing in the state during the Revolutionary war. Under the law, only resident aliens in the United States and Frenchmen can hold, inherit and transmit real estate in Connecticut. A woman died in Enfield, leaving real estate. She had one brother in the United States, and another living in Great Britain. A question was raised about the property, and the law was looked up, and the fact was ascertained that the brother in this country was entitled to all the property. If the other brother had been a Frenchman he could have claimed an equal share. It is thus shown that under existing laws in this state, a Frenchman has more privileges than an Englishman, and this, probably, on account of the aid given by the French in our struggle for independence. This, probably, is the first time that any such case has come up since the law was passed.

THE Asiatic cholera has broken out in Siam, in Asia, and hundreds of people are reported dying daily. If the pestilence follows the law of former years, this is a startling notice to Europe and America for what they may expect next summer.

GENERAL GRANT, it appears from a letter in the Atlanta *Constitution*, has changed of late; he dresses more brightly and talks more than he used to. Sometimes he wears a blue necktie with red dots on it, and has even been known to don trousers of a plaid pattern.

NEW DEMOCRATIC ISSUES.

Chicago Journal.

It will puzzle the platform makers in the next convention that represents "the great National Democratic party of the Union" to construct one that will represent all the new issues that have recently been hatched in the United States. So many new fangled notions have been adopted into the old creed that Democracy now looks like the spotted horse in the circus, which the boys admire so much. The Bourbon party has long resembled the trick mule, which every candidate who has tried it has failed to ride into power since the days when poor old Buchanan allowed the southern traitors to proceed with their diabolical work under the spurious plea that a state could not be coerced.

Nearly all the old issues that Democracy was formerly so proud of have been abandoned, and new and strange theories—strange to the unsophisticated Bourbon mine—are finding adherents in the different states. In Ohio, for example, the party is running a renegade Republican on a high tariff platform, and is playing hide and seek with the Prohibitionists. In New York such recognized friends of the dear people as Tilden, Schell, Belmont & Company, will raise the cry of civil service reform and anti-monopoly. In Wisconsin the leaders advise the abandonment of the old party entirely, and the inauguration of a new one on a semi-Republican basis. Down in Mississippi, where the Democratic practice was to quietly remove opposing candidates for office with the shotgun, according to the Yazoo plan, they now proclaim equal rights to all without respect to race, color, or the previous condition. The party leaders in South Carolina declare that, as a matter of expediency, they consider it wise to quit killing negroes simply because they are Republicans, which is almost as undemocratic as allowing a negro to marry your daughter. In North Carolina the good old whisky-loving party has been masquerading in the stolen garments of total abstinence. In Virginia they have devised the new way of paying the state debt by first cheating the creditor out of a portion of his just dues by the scaling-down process, and forcing him to accept a 3 per cent. bond, and then practically repudiating the whole debt, principal and interest, by refusing to levy a tax.—Happily, here in Illinois, that party is too dead to have any opinions worth mentioning, and Carter H. Harrison is its only prophet, with the editors of the Quincy *Herald* and Bloomington *Bulletin* as its chief organs.

And the old traditions of the party seem to have been abandoned and all old battle cries hushed to silence. In the different states those in command are trying to invent new issues that will win popular support, but are no sooner tried than given up. Better turn the old thing over to Mr. Tilden, clad in its Dolly Varden costume, and let him manage it for his own benefit. He is the only man in it that has shown any capacity for leadership, infirm and paralytic though he be, and is the only person who seems acquainted with its subterranean methods and possibilities. Modern Democracy is like an undeveloped silver mine; it requires a large amount of ready capital to successfully work it, and the man with the well-filled "bar'l" is the only person who ought to risk an investment.

Plan of Study.

The following autograph letter from President Garfield to a young man, in answer to his inquiry relative to his plan of study, is so sensible and so practical that we give it for the benefit of those who may want just such advice:

MENTOR, O., Oct. 27, 1879.

C. L. WAYLAND, Danville, Ind.—*My Dear Sir:* In answer to yours of the 19th inst, I have to say that your inquiries as to my early studies shows a praiseworthy study in the work of self-improvement. I cannot say that I found in any one book the suggestion for a plan of life and growth. In fact, I did not in advance mark out any comprehensive plan of life. But I did resolve at an early age, that I would acquire as good an education as the college course would enable me to obtain, and to that general purpose I devoted all my energies until it was accomplished. In order to make my work thorough, I made it a constant habit to study each science a little more broadly than the prescribed course required. I thus got a little intellectual life outside of the text books. This habit has been of great value to me in subsequent life, for I have always managed to keep up some line of reading outside the track of my professional and official studies; and these side studies have been of great value to me in many ways. As some one has well said: "A man should have his intellectual home with a few great authors like Shakspeare, Emerson and Macauley, from which he should make excursions into the fields of literature, but from which he should return for his chief sustenance.

Very truly yours,
J. A. GARFIELD.

Grand Discoveries.

The discovery of a great remedy is frequently a matter of accident. This, however, is not the case with TARAXINE, now widely known and approved as an almost infallible remedy for Liver Complaint and diseases of the Kidneys and Bowels. The best physicians have for many years used various preparations of dandelion root in these diseases but with only indifferent success. After a long series of experiments, a combination, with the active principle of the Dandelion as a basis, and other improved remedies to lighten its potency has been effected, and the desired specific for these diseases has been found in the product—TARAXINE.

Dr A. J. Stoner, agent. 2

The Belles and the Old Bachelors.

Saratoga Cor. St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

It takes a western belle to speak her mind without fear of consequences. One of these inevitable old bachelors of society had been visiting one of these young ladies, and when he arose to go he expressed himself as having been charmed with her society, and hoped to see her soon again. "Oh, as to that, sir," said the belle, "since you are not a marrying man, I think there is no need of your calling again!" So that settled the matter. The fact is, Saratoga is a poor matrimonial market. There is but little use of match-making mammas pinching themselves in purse to give their daughters a season or two at the springs with the view of securing an eligible husband. There may be eligible men in the world, but the most of them are already married.

Society is flooded with wretched old bachelors and seedy widowers, who monopolize the company of the belles to such a degree that a young man is cast comparatively in the shade. If, as one young lady declares, all widows ought to be cremated with their defunct husbands, then all old bachelors and widowers ought to be drowned, so as to be forever out of the way. It is true these old fellows are handy sometimes for an escort—just as we take pieces of cracked china from the cupboard when there is not enough better ware to go round; but, if a young lady indulges in a taste for antiques, and allows herself to be escorted here and there by a train of wretched old fossils, who take up her time and attention, and have not the slightest idea of proposing, as the years go by she will find herself fading into a passe belle, whom the younger men will neglect and the more youthful beauties will deride as an "old maid."

Too Much Whisky.

From the New York Evening Mail.

The whisky product of the United States for the year 1879-80 is said to have been 2,040,000 barrels. As there are 2,000 drinks in each barrel, allowing 50 drinks to a gallon and 40 gallons to a barrel, the whole number of drinks in that whisky must have been 4,080,000,000 or 81 drinks for every man, woman and child of our population. Which is altogether too much whisky, especially as about one fourth of our 50,000,000 people drink the whisky of the other three-fourths, in addition to their own 81 drinks each. However, there is hope in the fact that it has been shown that there is a limit to the amount of whisky the country can consume. It is said that the distillers are alarmed lest the amount produced may become so great that the prices will fall below cost. Kentucky alone is soon likely to produce 1,000,000 barrels a year, unless measures are adopted to restrict production. Such restriction is the purpose of the great distillers, who think it wise to combine in order to crush their small competitors. The result of combination will be a great whisky monopoly. The whisky trade might be more successfully controlled by the government under such a monopoly than at present, perhaps, were it not for the fact that the gigantic resources of the monopoly would afford vast bribes to officers willing to receive them.

EXCURSION RATES

To the Soldiers Reunion at Bloomington on Sept. 7th, 8th and 9th, 1881.

The following agreement has been entered into for transport a of passengers and freight to Bloomington over the I. C. R. R.:

1st. For all organized bodies of veterans, soldiers and sailors of the late war, the war with Mexico, and the war of 1812, of not less than 25 in a body, on muster rolls approved by the Post Adjutant, under the direction of the post Commander of the Bloomington camp, 1½ cts. per mile one way for the round trip. And further provided, that the muster roll of each organization shall be presented to the local railroad agent at the starting point, who shall erase the name of any man not appearing, or not paid for and the residue shall go to the reunion in a body, and the roll shall give the name and place of residence of each man, the regiment, organization or ship where he served in war, and shall have appended thereto the following certificate and guarantee signed by one or more responsible parties:

CERTIFICATE.

We have examined the above roll, and believe from their appearance and our knowledge of the facts, that the persons named therein are veterans of the war, as stated, and we guarantee to the Illinois Central Railroad that the persons named therein and none others will be offered for transportation thereon.

2d That all armed or uniformed military companies, organizations and bands travelling in bodies, will be transported to and from the reunion, with all their camp and garrison equipage, horses and supplies, free of charge, upon muster rolls approved by the Post Adjutant under the direction of the Post Commander of the Bloomington camp.

3d. That all artillery, artillery carriages, platforms and arms, ammunition, equipments camp and garrison equipage, with horses for organized batteries, and all material and supplies for the reunion, will be transported from all points to the reunion and back at any time on the request of the Post Command, made by any staff officer, free of cost.

For the general public, and all not included in the above, the rate for excursion tickets to Bloomington and return will be $1.75. Tickets will be sold Sept. 6th to 9th inclusive, good to return until Sept. 10th inclusive

C. O. JUDSON, Agent.

DECATUR, Ill., Aug. 24, 1881.-2d3

THE male population of South Carolina are not remarkable for a faculty for hard labor, but they do raise some energetic women within the borders of Palmetto state. Mrs. Geo. D. Tillman, of Edgefield county, after attending to the wants of a numerous family, mounts her horse daily and personally superintends every detail of her husband's extensive planting interests, and is considered one of the most successful managers of a farm in Edgefield county. Owing to the congressional duties and other business relations of Col. Tillman, he has turned the plantation over to her, and she has proved herself equal to the emergency. Col. Tillman's district would undoubtedly have been better represented had his constituency kept him at home and sent his wife to congress.

TELEGRAPHIC

DOLEFUL NEWS.

The President Gradually Failing.

His Great Desire to Leave the White House.

THE NOON BULLETIN.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 26, 6:15 a. m.

The physicians and attendants can not yet be seen, but from latest information obtainable at this hour, it is believed that there has been no decided change for the better since midnight. The President's sleep during the night was frequently interrupted by intervals of restlessness.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 26, 8:30 a. m.

The President slept most of the night, awaking at intervals of half an hour to an hour. On first awaking there was, as ever has been for several nights past, some mental confusion, which disappeared when he was fully aroused, and occasionally he muttered in his sleep. These symptoms have abated this morning, as on previous days. At present his temperature is slightly above the normal, and his pulse a little more frequent than yesterday morning. Pulse 108, temperature 99.1, respiration 17. BLISS.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 26, 12:30 p. m.—At the morning dressing of the president it was observed that pus from the parotid swelling had found its way spontaneously into his right internal auditory meatus, through which it was discharging through the incision made into the swelling. His wound looks as well as it has done for some days past, his pulse and temperature are at present higher than at the corresponding hour for some days. He continues to take by the mouth the liquid food prescribed, nevertheless we regard his condition as critical. Pulse 118, temperature 100, respiration 18.

D. W. BLISS,
J. K. BARNES,
J. J. WOODWARD.

WASHINGTON, August 25.—Another serious slip on the down grade is the distressing intelligence from the white house to day. From early morning, when the public first discovered that a hasty consultation had been held by the surgeons at midnight last night, anxiety was revived, which has steadily grown with the progress of the day, until to-night the most gloomy feelings generally prevail. It is worth while to note that to-day for the first time the medical gentlemen having in charge the distinguished patient, admit he is not only a very sick man, but that instead of gaining strength he is gradually tending the wrong way. This is a very important admission in the light of their previous conduct and assurances. The fact is now evident, for even the doctors, who have been so sanguine all along, cannot explain it away, that the President's condition has greatly deteriorated within the last forty-eight hours, and that instead of being, as they at first pretended, on the up-grade, he has been gradually sinking hour by hour, until to-night, there is less hope of his recovery than ever before. About 1 o'clock this morning, or between 12 and 1, there was almost a panic at the white house. There were very few persons influenced by this alarm, but that was because there were few persons there at that hour to be influenced. The extraordinary reticence of the doctors, and the fact that even Dr. Boynton was politely ejected from the consultation and was not admitted into their confidence, naturally made the correspondents in attendance suppose that something more than the mere consultation over the removal of the president was in progress. To even discuss such a removal at this stage of the case would appear to be arrant nonsense to those who are familiar with the President's condition. The doctors, however, in response to all inquiries assured the small public gathered here at 1 o'clock this morning, and the greater public at a later hour, that nothing further was contemplated. Notwithstanding that fact, however, it is still believed to-day that the consultation was on quite another thing, and that was the critical situation of the President under the recent effect of the surgeon's knife. As indicated in these dispatches last night, that operation was known not to be as successful as could have been desired. The hints there furnished are confirmed to-day by the unofficial statements of those who have access to the President's bedside as well as by the official bulletins. In the first place it stated that the reason why there was scarcely any pus extracted by the incision is the pus has actually been distributed through some other outlet into the system. This is the opinion of Mrs. Dr. Edson, given in an unofficial way. In regard to the bulletins of to-day, silent admissions are strongly in favor of this idea.

It has been evident for some days, as indicated in these dispatches, that the president's mind is now in a sort of chronic morbid state of dread in relation to his surroundings. It was yesterday that he not only renewed these pleadings to be removed, but it is said, positively demanded his physicians to take him away. It is the first firm stand that has been taken on any subject by the president since he has been ill, and the stand was of such a decided character last night as to make it necessary for the physicians to do something, and to do it immediately. It is not only demanded, but he enforced the demand by indicating that the services of Dr. Bliss might be dispensed with in case no attention was paid to his request. According to Dr. Hamilton, when a patient is at such an ebb that there is but one thing the patient thinks will make him well, there is a good deal of risk assumed by his doctors in refusing the request, no matter whether it be reasonable or unreasonable. The difficulty in the case with Dr. Hamilton was where to take him. The idea of a sea voyage was almost preposterous, and the idea of taking him on a long journey by railroad to Mentor as equally so. His weak stomach would not withstand the motion of the vessel, be it ever so slight. As for a trip by railroad, no more exhaustive operation could be contemplated. There was one thing against which the patient protested, and that was being taken to the Soldiers' Home, and this point was the most comfortable one and the most healthy and accessible under the circumstances, of all others. In the emergency a lady who has charge of the old Arlington homestead, offered to fix up her house for the president's reception, and take care of him if they would bring him across the river. The physicians agreed that was a desirable place, but as no question of place came up, owing to the decision not to remove him at all, it was not seriously discussed. It was suggested to day, however, that the idea of moving him to the center of all those thousands of grave that crown the hill and surround the old Arlington mansion would not be a change of the most cheering character. It would seem too much like moving the patient to the graveyard before he was dead, and might seriously disturb even a less superstitious mind.

There is a marked increase of public anxiety to-night, consequent on the unfavorable reports, and but little work in any of the departments performed to-day. It is in the air. No place is so remote or mean but the intelligence is preached and spread, awing the residents thereof, that the president is dying.

It is said that Mrs. Garfield broke down this evening for the first time immediately after the evening examination—not in her husband's presence. Here she has always borne up with wonderful courage and fortitude. Never a word but words of encouragement there; never a look but of hope and Christian resignation. When she appealed to-night for some slight token from the doctors she appealed in vain. There was no disguising their anxiety from her. She saw it in their countenances, and it penetrated her soul. From beneath their guarded words of nothing she received the information that there was no improvement, but the attempt to console her was too much. Hastening from the room to regain the solitude of her own chamber, it is said she sank to the floor, bursting into tears, and was for several minutes overcome with a paroxysm of grief. She has just begun to comprehend that the possibility to which she has heroically clung during these many weeks of watching is slowly fading away, hour by hour, leaving her to lean on her own desolate heart.

A Singular Bet

Cresson Springs Cor. Philadelphia Times.

Two young Philadelphians stopped off here for dinner a day or two ago who deserve mention. Mr. Clarence Lewis and Mr. Willie Horstmann, members of the city troop and young men of wealth and leisure, for want of amusement, agreed to toss up a penny to decide which of them should pay the entire traveling expenses of both in a tour around the world. Horstmann lost, and forthwith the two young men set their faces westward and are now on their way towards the setting sun, and some nine months hence may be expected to bob up serenely some morning on the eastern horizon with "Here we are again, boys."

"Golden Hair and the Three Bears."

This beautiful operetta will be presented at the Opera House on Friday evening, August 26th, in full costume, under the direction of S. M. Lutz, with the following caste of characters

Golden Hair	Miss Annie Griswold.
Woodland Queen	Miss Katie Leonard.
Bard	Mr. D. L. Dunn
Faithful	Miss Eliza Hall.
Lightfoot	Miss Sallie McCall.
Frailty	Miss Lou Tanner.
Airy	Miss Florence Adams.
Will-o'-the-Wisp	Miss Belle Steele.
Big Brute	Mr. Milton Johnson
Mamy Muff	Master Charley Hughes
Tiny Cub	John Freeman

Large chorus of forest children.

This will be presented one night only, and all who want to enjoy a feast for the eye and the ear should not fail to attend

Admission, 50 cents, gallery, 25 cents

Aug. 6—dtdw1

The Newest and Best.

The Millinery and Notion firm of Bear & Einstein, No 28 East Main street, have just received all the very latest styles in Fall Hats, Notions and Millinery Goods, and invite the public generally to call at once and examine the fine display and learn their low prices. Call early. No trouble to show goods. 13-dawtf

Cash Does the Business.

We buy for cash, buy cheap, sell on low margins, try to get the best made and most durable goods that we can find, try to please our customers, never make any misrepresentations knowingly, always willing to correct mistakes, want you trade. Come and see us; we are always glad to see old friends and make new ones. BARBER & BAKER.

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PALPITATION of the heart, nervousness, tremblings, nervous headache, cold hands and feet, pain in the back, and other forms of weakness are relieved by Carter's Iron Pills, made specially for the blood, nerves and complexion. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 24

GET a beautiful gold fish pet at Dr. Stoner's drug store for 40 cents—all sizes. 7dtf

20 Per Cent. Off.

To give our customers the BEST BARGAINS they have seen for many days, and to clean out our stock of Summer Goods, we, from to-day, FOR CASH, will deduct 20 PER CT. OFF all goods sold, except Prints and Muslins, until the first of September.

We reduce two cases best Summer Prints from 8 1-3 to 6 1-4, to close.

As this brings our entire stock down, instead of a few leaders to be made up on something else, you will do well to take advantage of it.

F. L. HAYS & CO.

July 25—d&wtf

We would like to keep before your notice the following facts:

1st. We show you MORE PATTERNS, later Styles, and a great many goods not to be found in any other store in the city.

2d. We keep all medium grades of goods as well as the FINER GRADES; consequently we can please every one.

3d. We keep a Beautiful Line of DIAMONDS.

4th. We do the HANDSOMEST ENGRAVING free on all goods sold.

5th. We positively show you any kind of goods for less money than any house in the city. You should see our goods and let us have an opportunity to show you OUR PRICES and convince you that we advertise ONLY FACTS.

OTTO E. CURTIS & CO.

July 7, 1881 d&wtf

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ONE NIGHT ONLY,

MONDAY, AUG. 29th.

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The Performance concluding with

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July 1, 1881—dtf

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The Best Summer Stove ever made.

COOKING AND HEATING STOVES,

The most desirable patterns

BASE BURNERS,

NEW STYLES.

In fact, almost everything you may want for Housekeeping.

If you would secure Bargains in any goods I keep, please call at the Mammoth Stores of

R. LIDDLE,

Court House Block.

Decatur, Ill., Aug. 17, 1881—d&wtf

She Got It Free of Charge.

Call at Stoner's drug store and get a sample bottle of Brown's Expectorant free of charge. It cures coughs, hoarseness, whooping cough, and consumption in its early stages.

It is a scientific preparation, admirably adapted for the cure of all throat and lung diseases. It is pleasant to take and entirely harmless.

Try it. It costs you nothing. Regular size bottles 50 cents and $1 00. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner. July8d&wdmo

"BLOOD will tell!" One bottle of Dr. Marshall's Bromoline, the Big Blood and Liver Cure, will cleanse the blood. Only fifty cents a bottle. See your druggist. 20

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The Daily Republican.

FRIDAY EVENING, AUGUST 26, 1881.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

REFRIGERATORS, an elegant assortment, very cheap to make room for other goods, at E.D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.

OPERETTA to-night.

THE Pastor lithographs are up.

"FURNISHED ROOMS" to-morrow night.

LADIES, will you compete for a premium at our coming fair?

CORN in Macon county will average about 35 bushels to the acre.

A SLATE roof will be put on George D. Haworth's new residence.

J. D. TURNER has a big job on hand, repainting and decorating Stapp's Chapel.

CALL for Schroeder's Bohemian cigars, and you will get the best on sale anywhere.

THE administrator's sale of the personal property of the late James Munn will take place on Wednesday, Sept. 21st.

STYLISH toilet goods at W. C. Armstrong's drug store. Physicians' prescriptions carefully prepared.

ABOUT 800 entries were made at the Clinton fair, which closes this evening.

FROM Decatur on Tuesday morning Tony Pastor's troupe will go to Springfield.

BROWN'S cigars are boss. Get them at his stand on East Eldorado street.

I. D. WALKER is now practicing law on his own hook, Thomas Lee having retired from the firm.

THE "cannon ball" train on the Wabash was two hours and-a-half late this morning, caused by delays on the western connecting lines.

THE special attention of the reader is directed to the change in Linn & Scruggs advertisement. They have placed on sale a fine display of new fall goods.

CALL at Bachman's, south side city park, for the best and cheapest furniture in the city—a bargain in every article.

Aug 15-dtf.

DAVID MARTIN is building a long shed on the west side of his patent lime house "Give me more room" is his cry, and he is getting it.

SELECT the very latest sheet music at C B. Prescott's, in opera block.

P. A. WILLIAMS and W. W. Shockey have had a little quarrel about the placing of dirt and ashes. Williams will have Shockey arrested, and unless the matter is compromised, the case will be ventilated in Justice Curtis' court.

DRY GOODS, a job lot, very cheap, at Linn & Scruggs'. 8—d&wtf

THAT was a mighty thin rain that fell in this section of the country Thursday morning. In the vicinity of Warrensburg enough dampness fell to more than settle the dust.

LIVER Complaint, sick headache, constipation of the bowels, are all cured by Bromoline, the Big Fifty-cent Blood and Liver Cure Ask your druggist for it. 20

AT the Soldiers' Reunion at Bloomington there will be $3,000 distributed as prizes for drills in cavalry, infantry and artillery tactics and band tournaments. $200 will be given for the best reed band, and $100 for the second best.

THE raising of watermelons is getting to be quite an important industry in Central Illinois Two men near Nokomis have each sold $550 worth of melons this year.

A FULL supply of first-class musical instruments always in stock at C. B Prescott's parlor in opera block

If you do not want to pay fancy prices for Shoes trade at J. W. Baker's. aug19-d&wtf

If there ever was a specific for any one complaint, then Carter's Little Liver Pills are a specific for sick headache, and every woman should know this. Only one pill a dose. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 24

J. H. KREBS, Agent for S. T. Taylor's imported Patterns. [mar7d&wtf

If you have any copying to do take it to A. F. Grist's Gallery, No. 25 Water street. Price as low as any gallery. (mar16dtf

NEW STORE—NEW GOODS

Opening of Straubal's New Dry Goods and Notion Establishment at No. 16 Merchant Street.

This day we have thrown open our doors and invite the kind and generous people of Decatur and vicinity to an inspection of what we have on sale. Through railroad strikes, etc, we have had our freight delayed and were not able to open our store as soon as we expected, but to those who will favor us with their presence that we may have the pleasure of showing them what we have will find it decidedly to their advantage. Notwithstanding the great display of advertisements and the seeming low quotations made by our worthy competitors, we are prepared to meet them, except where goods are sold for less than cost of manufacture, which is done simply to draw you in. As it is needless for us to tell you that when a merchant offers a line of goods for less than cost that he can live and pay expenses. It is deception, and the intelligent and well posted people of to-day in this vicinity know as well as we do that it cannot be done, and to tell you that such merchants must make an enormous profit on some goods they sell to make up the loss on their leaders," is unnecessary, for we know you are all too well posted to take such untimely advice.

Respectfully, JNO. F. STRAUHAL,
Jy4-d&wtf. No. 16 Merchant Street

Cheap Railroad Tickets.

Tickets from Springfield to Decatur 50 cents; Chicago tickets cheap, at

Aug 25—d3t NEBINGER & REESER'S.

No satisfactory intelligence as to the President's condition could be obtained last night after nine o'clock, though the people lingered about the streets until nearly 11, hoping to hear more favorable reports from Washington. The telegraphic rumor in St. Louis that the president was then thought to be in a dying condition reached Decatur before six o'clock, and occasioned no little excitement and dark forebodings. People on hearing the rumor stated shook their heads sadly and turned away silently. Our citizens generally are prepared to hear the worst.

THE report given by the State Board of Agriculture pronounces the wheat crop the poorest in quality and quantity produced in this state for 20 years. The total yield of the state is given as a little more than 22,000,000 bushels—considerably less than half the yield of 1880. The average per acre is 7½ bushels.

THE sociable and summer festival given by the ladies of the First M. E. Church last evening, was a success socially and financially, the receipts amounting to about $43. The attendance of the public was large, and everything on sale was disposed of in good time.

MARSHAL HEWES met with a mishap yesterday while attempting to get into a wagon. He fell heavily upon the tongue of the vehicle and injured his back so severely that he is to-day confined to his home. It is thought he will be able to be around again in a few days.

ONE of the taking features at the Clinton fair this afternoon was the old men's race for a gold-headed ebony cane. Judge McGraw and Wm. Haberfield, both of whom are seventy years old, entered the race. This race was open to all of sixty-five years.

THE members of Beaumanoir Commandery No. 9, Knight Templars, met last night, organized a drill corps and elected necessary officers. Major C. M. Durfee, of the 5th regiment, I. N. G., was elected drill master.

THE probabilities are that the Decatur Band will go with the firemen to Quincy and play at the state tournament next week. The band cut quite a swell at the tournament held at Peoria two years ago, and will hold its own at Quincy.

THE Decatur Sunday school convention will be held at the 1st M. E. church on Sunday, Aug. 28th, at 3:30 p. m., when those present will be addressed by Miss LUCY J. Rider and other prominent Sunday school workers.

THE Lutz operetta at the opera house ought to be greeted by a large audience of the music loving people of Decatur. Some of the best talent in the city will participate in the entertainment, and costly costumes from Boston will be worn.

THIS forenoon Dr. Chenoweth reported Ben Burch resting comfortably and doing well. He suffered most for eight hours after he fired that bullet through his breast.

DENSE clouds of dust hang over the city every day and until late in the evening. Give us a rain—a regular soaker. We haven't had one in this region since about July 15th.

MEETING for Bible study at the rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association this evening at 7:45. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

MISS LELAH RACE will entertain a large company of her friends at her home on West Main street this evening. Members of the A. P. C. Club have been invited.

WE are requested to announce that Dr. J. M Gregory, will occupy the pulpit at the Baptist church in this city on Sunday next at 10:30 a. m.

Getting Lively.

The Peoria *Transcript* remarks that the Peoria, Decatur & Evansville Company is one of the liveliest railroad corporations doing business in that city. They have been constantly adding to their fixtures and conveniences ever since the line was completed. Their new passenger cars are models of beauty and comfort. The road bed was almost perfect when the first train passed over it. Now they have taken two other important steps, have increased their capital stock $2,400,000, and removed their headquarters from Pekin to Peoria.

$1.25 to Terre Haute.

The First Methodist Church of Decatur will run an excursion to Terre Haute, Ind., on Friday, Sept. 2d, at the low rate of $1.25 for the round trip. Train will leave the Union Depot at 7:30 a. m., arriving at Terre Haute at 12 o'clock noon. Returning, leave Terre Haute at 6 p. m. This will probably be the last excursion of the season. Tickets on sale at Illinois Midland Railway offices. 26-dtd

About the Operetta.

Having been so busily engaged in the preparation of this entertainment, I have not had time to write extended press notices of it, but trust the public will not form their opinions of the merits of the performance from the meagre announcements made. The story of "Golden Hair and the Three Bears" is familiar and interesting to all, but There are a number of new characters added in the operetta which will make it doubly interesting. It will be acted out from the beginning to the end. The operetta is of as high grade of music as can be produced with juvenile performers, and the adults who assist will, I believe, surpass all their former efforts in public.

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A Wealthy Captain.

The will of the late Captain Hall, who died at Peoria recently, devises to the wife of the noted humorist, Bob Burdette, one-seventh of the estate of the deceased, who was her grandfather. The property is now worth something like $70,000, but as it is not to be divided until 1889, and meantime is to be sold and the proceeds invested, it will probably be very much more when the several shares are set off. Mrs. Burdette has been an invalid for many years. The *Transcript* says she is a noble, good woman, and one of the brightest laurels Burdette has won is the memory of the tender regard and kindly affection he has always bestowed upon his sorely afflicted wife. Captain Hall was the grandfather of the wife of Mr. John B. Bunn, son of the late Hon. A. B. Bunn, of this city. He and his wife are now residing at Peoria. No doubt Mrs. Bunn will receive her share of the estate.

A Church Wedding.

Quite an interesting marriage was solemnized last evening (25th) at 8 o'clock, at the Methodist church in Harristown, when the pastor, Rev. E. B. Randle, and Miss Mary C. Stookey, daughter of Daniel Stookey, Esq., joined hands and hearts for life. The ceremony was performed in the presence of relatives and invited friends by Rev. Dr. Buck, of Decatur.—Rev. W. H. Musgrove was also present. Last night Rev. Randle and bride passed through Decatur en route for Chicago, where they will remain several days.

Charged with Theft.

This morning Uncle Daniel Young, an aged colored gentleman, who resides on a claim near Rea's bridge, northeast of the city, appeared in Justice Curtis's court and caused a state warrant to be issued for the arrest of Thomas Moore and his young wife, Hattie Moore, both of whom are charged with having stolen $14 in bills from Young's dwelling on Wednesday last. The arrest was effected by Sheriff Foster, and in default of $100 bail the accused (who are colored) were placed in the officers' custody for safe keeping. The examination will be had before Curtis to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock. The witnesses will be the old man and his son, and John Kemp, Jacob Tidwell and John Boyer.

A Costly Car.

One of the costly advertising cars connected with Barnum's show, which is to visit Decatur on Saturday, Sept. 10th, two weeks from to-morrow, arrived in the city last evening from Springfield, and to-day twelve members of the paste brigade are putting up the gorgeous circus bills.—The car is 66 feet in length, and is fitted up regardless of expense, the paintings on the outside representing numerous thrilling scenes to be witnessed in the rings on the tenth. It is also decorated with flags of all nations, and at the rear of the car is a steam calliope, which always creates a big racket on entering and leaving a city where Barnum is to exhibit his great attractions.—When the paste brigade get through with their work here they will board the cars and leave for Peoria.

An Accident.

While on their way to the Whitmore township Sabbath school convention and picnic, held at the Union church, on Thursday last, Harvey Robbins and family met with what was nearly a fatal accident. Mr Robbins was driving a team of horses attached to a farm wagon down a steep hill, when the ring came off the end of the neckyoke, which mishap caused the horses to become unmanageable, and they ran down the hill rapidly. The wagon struck Hardin Burgess' light spring wagon, in which he and his family were seated. All the people were thrown out of the vehicles upon the ground and Mrs. Burgess and Mrs. Robbins were bruised up considerably, as were also Mr. Robbins and Mr. Burgess. The children escaped injury. Both wagons were damaged badly, being rendered unfit for use. One of Mrs. Robbins' horses was slightly injured.

An Underground River.

It is stated that Bloomington has a well supplied from a subterranean river which furnishes that city with water. It is estimated that its present supply is about 2,000,000 gallons of water in 24 hours, and the influx, this very dry time, has not abated a particle from what it was when it was dug, in a time of great moisture

Taken to Tolono.

The funeral of the late George Shoemaker, who died from the effects of a blow dealt with a club by Michael Flinn, took place from his late residence in the fifth ward this forenoon, Rev. Dr. Goodwin conducting the services. At noon the remains were taken to Tolono for burial.

Got a Badge.

The soldiers' reunion at Kenney, near Maroa, on the 1st and 2d of September, will be one of the grandest affairs Kenney has had for a long time. Extensive preparations are being made, as was noticed Monday last in Kenney, and nothing will be lacking to make it a grand time. All soldiers and every one else are invited. Soldiers wishing to get their fare at one cent a mile each way, can do so by addressing the secretary, O. E. Harris, at Kenney, and get a badge, which will be free.

A Card.

I have attended the rehearsals of "Golden Hair and the Three Bears," and I take pleasure in saying to the people of Decatur that it is a production of great merit. So much hard work has been done by Prof. Lutz in the training of the chorus and solo parts, that with the exception of the character of "Bard," which has been given to the writer, the operetta will be a pleasing entertainment and entirely worthy of the patronage of all.

2d D. L. BUNN.

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March 8-d&wtf

Before the Footlights.

One of the funniest plays that will visit Decatur this season will be "Furnished Rooms," by the Joe Gulick Comedy Combination at the opera house to-morrow night. It is a piece teeming with fun from beginning to end. We have no hesitancy in recommending it because we know that Joe never manages a bad company. Reserved seats, 75 cents; general admission, 35 and 50 cents.

TONY PASTOR.

Tony Pastor's luck, which has become proverbial in theatrical circles, certainly did not desert him here, for in spite of the opposition of a big circus, the first of the season, too, Martin Opera House was packed last evening. He deserved it, for a better out-and-out variety combination is not on the road. Tony has surrounded himself with a number of the stellar lights of the variety stage, and that his audience was well pleased was shown by the hearty applause that greeted their efforts. Tony looks as young as ever, though slightly more rotund, and in singing topical songs he is still without an equal. The French twin sisters illustrated the poetry of motion, and the rough and tumble style had many good exponents—Frank McNish especially. The Irwin sisters, favorites in Albany, Ferguson and Mack, and many others, were on the programme. It was a good performance of its kind, and everything went off with a "wat, wat, wat."—*Albany Argus.*

At the opera house on Monday evening next.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. A. T. Elder is home from Ohio.

Miss Cora King departed for Monticello this forenoon to visit a friend.

Miss Josie Duer has gone to Macon to visit Mrs. James Cook.

W. W. Durand, press agent for the Barnum show, paid us a business call this forenoon.

W. J. Mize, editor of the Sullivan *Journal*, was a guest at the St. Nicholas to-day.

Mrs. N. A. White and Miss Rose Judson departed last night for Put-in-Bay, and will be absent until about Sept. 3d. The REPUBLICAN will visit them daily.

Ben Dillehunt favors us with a copy of the Indianapolis *News* of last evening. It is a spicy sheet, brim full of pungent paragraphs of lively interest.

Mrs. M. A. Melville and Mrs. Charles Holt, wife of the C. T. U. State organizer, have been elected delegates to the C. T. U. State Convention at Jacksonville.

Prof. Leonard and family were at the depot this morning to greet an old friend whom they had not seen for 12 years. He was bound for Bostob.

Tuscola *Review:* Hardie Wallace has a special interest in Decatur just now, and it isn't in the direction of coal mines or anything of that kind, either.

State Secretary Housum and Hart P. Christie will probably leave for Quincy early Sunday morning to get ready for the firemen's tournament.

Miss Ina Barnes, who has been visiting her friend, Miss Gertie Randolph, for several weeks, left for her home at Delevan this afternoon.

Dr. Walston and Albert Summers got home yesterday from St. Paul, and Aten Lytle is expected to put in an appearance this evening.

Mrs. N. S. Haynes and child arrived home yesterday from Paris, after an absence of nearly three months. Evangelist Haynes was in the city last evening.

Miss Jennie McEvoy was pleasantly surprised at the National Hotel last night by a large company of friends, who called upon her rather unexpectedly. She entertained them all in grand style.

Mrs. Wm. J. Brown, President of the W. C. T. U, and Mrs. A. M. Werner, Financial Secretary, leave on Wednesday next for Lake Bluff, where they will represent the Decatur W. C. T. U. in the state convention.

E. G. Haynes, business agent for the J. M. Hill's "All the Rage" and "Joshua Whitcomb" attractions, was in the city to day and gave us a call. Mr. Hill's company will hold the boards at the opera house Sept. 9th.

State Secretary I. E. Brown arrived in the city last evening, and left again at 10:40. He goes to Mt. Carmel to-day to attend an inter-state conference of southern Illinois and southern Indiana. He will read a paper on "Association Literature."

Miss Laura E. Dainty, of Tuscola, the celebrated dramatic reader, has gone on the stage, and is meeting the greatest success wherever she appears. She is with Hill's "All the Rage" combination which is to give an entertainment in Decatur on Friday evening, Sept. 9th.

Peoria *Transcript:* Samuel Munson, superintendent of bridges on the P., D. & E. road, met with a severe accident on Monday, while running the pile driver near Mt. Pulaski. By some mistake the hammer was dropped before the signal was given, and caught Sam's left hand, mashing off the thumb and first finger. He was taken to Pekin and the wound dressed.

The cards are out announcing the coming marriage of Rev. Marquis D. Hornbeck and Miss Lydia M. Kuhl, which is to be solemnized at Beardstown, Ill., on Thursday evening, Sept. 1st. Rev. Hornbeck is well known to most of our readers, as he preached at the Methodist churches in Warrensburg and Forsyth in 1876—'78. Miss Kuhl has been a teacher of German in the Illinois Female College at Jacksonville during the past two years.

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The Illinois Central Railroad will run an Excursion to Cherokee, Iowa, leaving Decatur at 6.40 A. M. Wednesday, August 31st, at a round trip rate of only $11.00, return tickets good for thirty days. No better land can be found in the West than in the vicinity of Cherokee, and it is only a matter of one or two years when this splendid prairie land, now selling from $6.00 to $10.00 per acre, will find ready sale at $15.00 to $25.00. This year thousands of acres of sod land has paid for itself with one crop of flax. The Magnetic Well is already becoming widely known for its curative properties, and we do not hesitate to say no town in the West has a better outlook than Cherokee, Iowa, and the man who invests his money in real estate in this locality has not long to wait to see it doubled. Hunters who enjoy shooting prairie chickens will find this trip especially adapted to that kind of sport. Invalids who may have tried everything else, should not be discouraged until they have used the *Cherokee Magnetic Waters*. Remember the date of this Excursion is Wednesday, August 31st, and the ruinously low rate is simply to give everybody an opportunity to visit this delightful country, and not for any money there is in it for the railroad company.

H. F. MERRY, Excursion Agent
Aug. 26-dtd Illinois Central R. R.

Attention, Veterans!

A special fare of 1½c. per mile for round trip tickets will be given all organizations of soldiers who desire, in a body, to attend the Soldiers' Reunion to be held at Bloomington, Ill., on the 7th, 8th and 9th of September next. The organizations going must number not less than 25 in order to obtain special rates. All desiring to attend will please hand in their names at once to Capt. Geo. S. Durfee for enrollment. JOHN A. BARNES,
3d Sec'y M. C. V. A.

I. O. O. F.

In memoriam of Martin Forstmeyer, a member of Decatur Lodge No. 65, I. O. O. F., who died August 18, 1881, at his residence in the city of Decatur, Ill. As it has pleased the all-wise ruler of the universe to remove from our midst our beloved brother, Martin Forstmeyer,—

Resolved, That in his death our lodge has lost a useful member, and the country a worthy citizen, and his wife and children a devoted husband and loving father.

Resolved, That this lodge extends to the wife and children of our deceased brother our heartfelt sympathy and condolence.

Resolved, That the lodge room be draped in mourning and the brothers of this lodge wear the usual mourning for thirty days.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be furnished the wife and family of our deceased brother and the same be spread on the records of the lodge, and copies be furnished the city papers for publication. WM. TOWLING,
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Corn—61¼ Aug; 62 Sept; 63¾ Oct; 61¼ year;
Oats—36¼ Aug; 36½ Sept; 38¾ Oct; 36 year.
Pork—$17.60 Sept.; $18.07 Oct; $17.70 Year.
Lard—$11.30 Sept; $11.50 Oct; $11.30 Year.

UNION STOCK YARDS.

Hogs—Estimated receipts, 17,000; market opened firm; prices unchanged.

	RECEIPTS.	SHIPMENTS.
Wheat—bushels	256,525	26,272
Corn "	547,148	597,212
Oats "	79,011	47,565

Car lots—Wheat, 266; corn, 946; oats, 62.

TOLEDO, Aug. 26.

Wheat—$1.36¼ Aug; $1.37 Sept; $1.36¼ Oct; $1.41 Nov; $ 1.43½ Dec.
Corn—64½ Aug; 65¼ Sept; 65½ Oct; 64½ Year.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 26.

Wheat—$1.42½ Aug; $1.43¼ Sept; $1.47½ Oct; $1.50 Nov.
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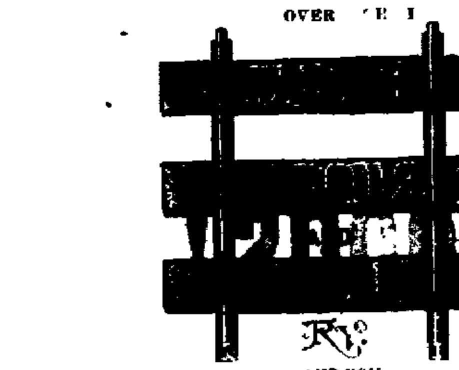
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" 4 Atlantic Express .... 12:00 m.
" 2, Lightning Express .... 10:55 p. m
" 8, Bement Accommodation .... 7.00 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going East .... 10:20 a. m
Going " .... 7:15 p. m
Going " .... 4:00 a. m

GOING WEST.

No. 3, Fast Line .... 4:35 a. m
" 7, Jacksonville Accommodation, 6:50 a. m
" 5, Fast Mail .... 3:40 p. m
" 1, Through Express .... 7:30 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going west .... 1:45 p. m
Going " .... 11:30 p. m

Chicago Division.

On and after Sunday, May 15th, 1881, trains will run as follows on the Chicago Division of the W., St. L. & P. R'y by way of Bement:

GOING EAST.

No 48, Chicago Express .... 12:25 a. m
" 44, Through Express .... 7:15 a. m
" 44, Chicago Mail .... 12:15 p. m

ARRIVE FROM CHICAGO.

No. 47, St. Louis Express .... 3.45 a. m
" 45, St. Louis Mail .... 3.35 p. m
" 41, Through Express .... 7:15 p. m

St. Louis Division.

GOING WEST.

No. 47, St. Louis Express .... 3:55 a. m
" 43, Fast Line .... 5:05 a. m
" 41, Decatur and St. Louis Accom., 6:30 a. m
" 45, Fast Mail .... 3:50 p. m

ARRIVE FROM ST. LOUIS

No. 48, Chicago Express .... 12 15 a. m
" 44, Atlantic Express .... 11:55 a. m
" , St. Louis and Decatur Accom., 9:15 p. m
" 42, Lightning Express .... 10:40 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets on the St. Louis Division:

Going West .... 7:20 a. m
Arrive from West .... 2:05 p. m

Champaign Division.

Arrive from East .... 10:40 a. m
Leave for Champaign .... 20.0 p. m

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On and after Sunday, Aug. 21st, 1881, trains will arrive and leave as follows:

GOING SOUTHEAST.

Mail and Express .... 11:15 a. m.
Way Freight .... 2.20 p. m.
Through Freight .... 11 10 a. m.

GOING NORTHWEST.

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" .... 10 25 p. m.
Freight .... 4 10 p. m.

GOING WEST.

Passenger .... 1 15 a. m.
" .... 1 20 p. m.
Freight .... 11 00 a. m.

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Decatur, Ill., Oct. 1, 1880.

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Freight .... 4 20 "

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Accommodation .... 10:05 a m
Passenger .... 6:25 p m
Freight .... 9:30 a m

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Way Freight .... 8 00 a. m.
Mixed and Stock Train No. 10 .... 5 50 p. m.

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Night Express No. 3 .... 4 20 a. m.
Way Freight .... 7 20 p. m.
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G. T. NUTTER, Traffic Manager.

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As a Blood Purifier it is unequaled, for it cures the organs that make the blood.
This Remedy, which has done such wonders, is put up in the LARGEST SIZED BOTTLE of any medicine upon the market, and is sold by Druggists and all dealers at $1.25 per bottle. For Diabetes, enquire for WARNER'S SAFE DIABETES CURE. It is a POSITIVE Remedy. H. H. WARNER & CO., Rochester, N. Y. Aug. 13, 1881—d&wly1

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IT is a fact that can be substantiated by the most respectable testimonials ever offered in favor of any proprietary medicine, that the RADICAL CURE FOR CATARRH does in every case afford instant and permanent relief. No matter of how long standing, or how severe the disease, the first dose gives such evidence of its value in the treatment of Catarrhal affections that confidence is at once felt in its ability to do all that is claimed for it. The testimony of physicians, druggists, and patients is unanimous on this point, and the accumulating evidence is in point of respectability superior to any ever before obtained in favor of a popular remedy. The proprietors, therefore, may justly feel proud of the position this remedy has attained, and believe it worthy of its reputation.

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I have been afflicted with this dreadful disease for more than ten years, and not until recently could I be induced to persevere with any until I read the letter of Mr. HENRY WELLS, and can truthfully say that after using five or six bottles I am thoroughly convinced of its curative properties. Hoping that others similarly afflicted like myself will be induced to make the trial, I am, gentlemen, very truly, etc., THEO. P. BOGERT.
BRISTOL, R. I., July 24, 1877.

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Such as Sore, Weak, Inflamed, Red, and Watery Eyes; Ulceration and Inflammation of the Ear; Ringing Noises in the Head; Sore Throat; Elongation of the Uvula and Swelled Tonsils; Nervous Headache, Neuralgia, Dizziness, Clouded Memory, Loss of Nervous Force, Depression of Spirits,—are all carefully and scientifically treated with this remedy according to directions which accompany each bottle, or will be mailed to any address on receipt of stamp.
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160 ACRES OF CHOICE PRAIRIE LAND in Pleasant View township, within three miles of Blue Mound. Improvements fair. Will be sold in 80 acre tracts, or together, to suit purchaser. Apply at F. M. Hanchie & Bro.'s store, Blue Mound. I have also for sale 45 head of two and three year old cattle.
Aug. 8—d&w1mo J. W. GARWOOD.

Artemus Ward.

There has been some little speculation as to how Brown came by his *nom de plume*, "Artemus Ward." Doctor Shattock says, that having some confidential business with him, during one of his last visits to Waterford, he took occasion to inquire particularly about it, Brown said it was in this wise: While engaged in the *Plain-Dealer* office in Cleveland, Ohio, he made the acquaintance of an eccentric old gentleman whose actual name was Artemus Ward, though assuming some more pretentious titles. This man was in the show business, having a limited number of "wax figgers," birds, "snaix," and a kangaroo. While waiting on the printers for his bills, he amused Brown by telling an endless number of anecdotes, all of which were duly treasured up. Among these were some of the incidents in Brown's article entitled "Edwin Forrest as Othello." He referred to the following as one of the contributions of the original Artemus Ward:

"Ed was actin' at Niblo's Garding, but let that pars. I sot down in the pit, took out my spectacles, and commenced perocsin' the evenin' bill. * * As I was peroosin' th bill, a grave young man who sot near me axed me if I'd ever seen Forrest dance the Essence of Old Virginny.

"'He's immense in that,' sed the young man. 'He also does a fair champion jig,' the young man continnered, 'but his Big Thing is the Essense of Old Virginny.'

"Sez I 'Fair youth, do you know what I'd do with you if you was my sun?'

"'No,' sez he.

"'Wall,' sez I, 'I'd appint your funeral to-morrow arternoon, and the *korps should be ready!* You're too smart to live on this yearth.'"

Oh, What a Cough!

Will you heed the warning. The signal perhaps of the sure approach of that more terrible disease consumption. Ask yourselves if you can afford for the sake of saving 50 cents to run the risk and do nothing for it. We know from experience that Shiloh's cure will cure your cough. It never fails. This explains why more than a million bottles were sold the past year. It relieves croup, and whooping cough, at once. Mothers do not be without it. For lame back, side, or chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster Sold by Henry Smith, druggist.

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Good prints at 4 cents a yard All the best prints at 7 cents
July23-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS

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Dec. 18—d&wtf

FOR cheap goods go to the Bargain Table of Linn & Scruggs.
March 26 d&wtf.

SHELLABARGER'S patent process flour saves one-half the labor in baking, and will make more bread to the pound than any other flour ever sold here
Dec. 18-d&wtf

SUMMER suits for the rich and the poor, large and small, at the popular one price clothing and merchant tailoring establishment. 18tf

SELECT pure drugs and medicines and the choicest toilet articles at W. C. Armstrong's drug store.

STEEL Engravings, a large assortment just received and on sale at A. J. Wallace & Co's. d&wtf

STEELE & MILLER, Holden, Mo., say: The A. S. T. Co. Tip gives immense satisfaction, and our sale of shoes having it upon them is rapidly increasing. 25

TALLEYRAND.

Talleyrand says, "The use of words is to conceal our thoughts." We can't find words good enough to express our thoughts when we find Dyspepsia entirely cured by Spring Blossom. Prices: $1, 50c., and trial bottles 10c. 9

MOODY'S Abdominal Corsets, Bortrees', Dr. Warner's, Glove Fitting, and all the best American and French Corsets, at lower prices than you can find them anywhere else, at LINN & SCRUGGS.
8-d&w1w

E. B. PRATT has connected a variety store with his grocery, and invites all to give him a call. No. 37 North Church street June29-d&w3mos

BANGS.

Bang Up! Not your hair, we are merely using a popular adjective eulogistic of Dr Thomas' Eclectric Oil, the leading American remedy for lameness, piles, kidney troubles, affections of the breathing organs, and other maladies or hurts. Positive and ample testimony proves it to be reliable
For sale by Dr. Stoner. 9



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CHARLES LAUX, Proprietor,

South side of the Old Square, Decatur, Illinois. Jan. 1, 1880—d&w

Administrator's Notice for Final Settlement.

Estate of AUSTIN DALY, Deceased.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County, }

To the heirs, legatees, devisees and claimants of said estate:

YOU are hereby notified that on Monday, the 19th day of September, 1881, the executors of said estate will present to the county court of Macon county, at Decatur, Illinois, their final report of their acts and doings as such executors, and ask the court to be discharged from any and all further duties and responsibilities connected with said estate and their execution thereof, at which time and place you may be present and resist such application, if you choose so to do.
[Signed]
MARTHA E. DALY, Executrix.
HARRISON M. TAGGART, Executor
August 25, 1881—w3w*

For Sale.

Summer Cooking Stoves that never get out of order—on this we challenge the world—at Wingate's Decatur Lamp Store. m1tf

Butterick's Spring Pattern Publications

AT HAND TO DAY.

Feb 17—d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

ANOTHER large lot of linen and flannel suits for children just received by Fleury the French Cutter, corner of old square. 11d&wtf

Mrs. Grindol, at her boarding house No. 11 West Main street, can furnish boarding and rooms by the day or week for a few more boarders; fare good, and price very reasonable.
March 5—dtf

THE best line of summer suits, latest novelties, are at Fleury's, the French Cutter, Linn & Scruggs' former stand. 11d&wtf

WE keep everything in our line, low shoes, high shoes, kid shoes, little shoes, broad shoes, narrow shoes, fine shoes or coarse shoes, and if you want any other kind of a shoe we will order it for you. We aim to please Call and see us.
d&wtf BARBER & BAKER

HARTFORD and Lowell carpets in new styles and beautiful colorings, just received by Linn & Scruggs
March 26 d&wtf.

NEW Carpets, new Wall-papers, new modes of decorating, new prices. Abel & Locke are turning things upside down. See their card in another place
24-d&wtf

A LARGE lot of Hassocks and Ottomans will be closed out on our *cheap counter* at greatly reduced prices.
Jan. 6—d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

ONE hundred summer pants patterns, domestic and imported goods, to be sold out at reduced prices, perfect fit guaranteed, at Fleury's the French Cutter
11 d&wtf

NEW lot of steel engravings on selection for a short time, at A. J. Wallace & Co's dtf

Decatur and Mt. Olive Coal.

Orders left at Peter Ullrich's grocery store for either Decatur or Mt. Olive coal will receive prompt attention.
21d1m J. H. VENNIGERHOLZ.

GOLD and Silver Fringes, Spangles' Gimp, Lace, Stars, Tassels, Braids and Buttons, at LINN & SCRUGGS'.
Dec. 20—d&wtf

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July 30-dtf

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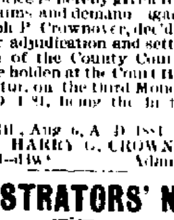
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It is a positive cure for Spermatorrhea, Seminal Weakness, Impotency, and all diseases resulting from Self-Abuse, as Mental Anxiety, Loss of Memory, Pains in Back or Side, and diseases that lead to Consumption Insanity and an early grave.—The Specific Medicine is being used with wonderful success. Pamphlets sent free to all. Write for them and get full particulars.
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Oct 28-d&wly

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of JOSEPH P. CROWNOVER, Dec'd.

PUBLIC notice is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Joseph P. Crownover, dec'd, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon county, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, on the third Monday of September, A. D. 1881, being the 3rd day of said term.
DECATUR, Ill., Aug 6, A. D. 1881
HARRY G. CROWNOVER,
Aug 6, 1881—d4w* Administrator

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE

Estate of ELISHA D. CARTER, Deceased

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Elisha D. Carter dec'd, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the county court of Macon county, to be holden at the court house, in the city of Decatur, on the 3rd Monday of September, A. D. 1881, being the first day of said term.
Decatur, Ill., Aug. 5th, A. D. 1881
JAMES S. CARTER,
EDWIN D. CARTER,
Aug 6 d4w Administrators

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The world-renowned author, in this admirable Lecture, clearly proves from his own experience that the awful consequences of Self-Abuse may be effectually removed without dangerous surgical operations, bougies, instruments, rings, or cordials; pointing out a mode of cure at once certain and effectual, by which every sufferer, no matter what his condition may be, may cure himself cheaply, privately, and *radically*.

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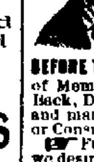
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BEAUTIFUL BLACK TIP

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of Memory, Universal Lassitude Pain in the Back, Dimness of Vision, Premature Old Age, and many other Diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption and a Premature Grave.
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The Specific Medicine is sold by all druggists at $1 per package, or six packages for $5, or will be sent free by mail on receipt of the money by addressing
THE GRAY MEDICINE CO.,
Sold in Decatur by Henry Smith.
Jan30d&wtf

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For Chills and Fever

AND ALL DISEASES

Caused by Malarial Poisoning of the Blood.

A WARRANTED CURE.

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July 2—d2mo*



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Chartered by the State of Illinois for the express purpose of giving immediate relief in all cases of private chronic and urinary diseases, in all their complicated forms. It is well known Dr. James has stood at the head of the profession for the past thirty years. Age and experience are all important. Seminal weakness, night losses by dreams, pimples on the face, lost manhood, can positively be cured. Ladies wanting the most delicate attention, call or write. Pleasant home for patients. A book for the million. Marriage Guide, which tells you all about these diseases—who should marry, why not, 10 cents to pay postage. Dr. James has fifty rooms and parlors. You see no one but the Doctor. Office hours 9 a. m to 7 p. m. Sundays, 10 to 12. Dr. James is 60 years old.

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